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0-5	Petition The undersigned requests that the present international application be processed according to the Patent Cooperation Treaty	
0-6	Receiving Office (specified by the applicant)	Japan Patent Office (RO/JP)
0-7	Applicant's or agent's file reference	CFO18108WO
I	Title of Invention	STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING STRUCTURE, TONER CONTAINING STRUCTURE, IMAGE FORMING METHOD AND DEVICE USING TONER
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V	<b>DESIGNATIONS</b>	
V-1	The filing of this request constitutes under Rule 4.9(a), the designation of all Contracting States bound by the PCT on the international filing date, for the grant of every kind of protection available and, where applicable, for the grant of both regional and national patents.	
VI-1	<b>Priority claim of earlier national application</b>	
VI-1-1	Filing date	02 May 2003 (02.05.2003)
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VI-1-3	Country	JP

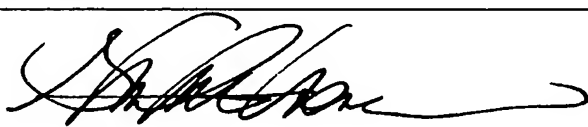
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<b>VI-2</b>	<b>Priority document request</b> The receiving Office is requested to prepare and transmit to the International Bureau a certified copy of the earlier application(s) identified above as item(s):	<b>VI-1</b>	
<b>VII-1</b>	<b>International Searching Authority Chosen</b>	<b>European Patent Office (EPO) (ISA/EP)</b>	
<b>VIII</b>	<b>Declarations</b>	<b>Number of declarations</b>	
VIII-1	Declaration as to the identity of the inventor	-	
VIII-2	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to apply for and be granted a patent	-	
VIII-3	Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to claim the priority of the earlier application	-	
VIII-4	Declaration of inventorship (only for the purposes of the designation of the United States of America)	-	
VIII-5	Declaration as to non-prejudicial disclosures or exceptions to lack of novelty	-	
<b>IX</b>	<b>Check list</b>	<b>number of sheets</b>	<b>electronic file(s) attached</b>
IX-1	Request (including declaration sheets)	6	✓
IX-2	Description (excluding sequence listing part)	118	-
IX-3	Claims	15	-
IX-4	Abstract	1	✓
IX-5	Drawings	0	-
IX-7a	Sub-total number of sheets	140	
IX-6a	Sequence listing part of description	9	-
IX-7	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>149</b>	

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	Accompanying Items	paper document(s) attached	electronic file(s) attached
IX-8	Fee calculation sheet	✓	-
IX-9	Original separate power of attorney	✓	-
IX-15	Separate indications concerning deposited microorganism or other biological material	✓	-
IX-16(A)	Sequence listing in computer readable form:		
IX-16(A) - (i)	copy submitted for the purposes of international search under Rule 13ter only (and not as part of the international application)	-	1 Diskette
IX-17	PCT-SAFE physical media	-	✓
IX-18	other:	Statement	
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IX-18	other:	Revenue stamps	
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IX-18	other:	Four copies of RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT	
IX-19	Figure of the drawings which should accompany the abstract		
IX-20	Language of filing of the International application	English	
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10-2	Drawings:	
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10-4	Date of timely receipt of the required corrections under PCT Article 11(2)	
10-5	International Searching Authority	ISA/EP
10-6	Transmittal of search copy delayed until search fee is paid	

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